

REMARKS

I. Status of Claims

Upon entry of this amendment, claims 1 and 92-98 are pending. Claim 92 has been amended to reflect the election made in the response. Amendment of the claims is made without prejudice and without intent to abandon any originally claimed subject matter.

No new matter was added by this amendment. Entry of this amendment is thus respectfully requested.

II. Response to Restriction

The Examiner has required restriction under 35 U.S.C. 121 and 372. The Examiner alleges that claims 92 and 94-96 are drawn to compositions reciting different combinations of individual nucleotide sequences. Applicant is required to select one combination for examination.

Applicants elect SEQ ID NO.: 52 for continued examination, without traverse.

III. Conclusion

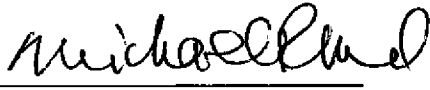
In view of the above amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that the pending claims are now allowable.

In the unlikely event that the transmittal form is separated from this document and the Patent Office determines that an extension and/or other relief is required, Applicant petitions for any required relief including extensions of time and authorize the Commissioner to charge the cost of such petitions and/or other fees due in connection with the filing of this document to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952** referencing 506612000104.

However, the Commissioner is not authorized to charge the cost of the issue fee to the Deposit Account.

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